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SUBJECT: MOU FOR CNRS-ERDA SOLAR BOILER COOPERATION

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1. EMBASSY SCIENCE OFFICE HAS RECEIVED COPY OF LETTER TO ERDA DIVISION OF INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS FROM CNRS TRANSMITTING FRENCH & ENGLISH VERSIONS OF MOU DATED 12 DEC 1975. THE COVERING LETTER FROM M. AUDE TO MR. FRIEDMAN DATED 26 DEC 1975 INDICATES THAT THE MODIFICATIONS ARE ESSENTIALLY LIMITED TO SECTION 3 PARA 6 & SECTION 5 OF THE MOU.

2. SECTION 3 PARA 6 PROPOSES THAT A SAFETY COMMITTEE OF SIX BE ESTABLISHED WHICH WOULD CHECK OUT THE SAFETY CONDITIONS OF THE TEST FACILITIES, MEET ONCE A YEAR AND AT THE REQUEST OF ANY OF ITS MEMBERS AND INVESTIGATE AND REPORT ON ACCIDENTS. SECTION 5 PROPOSES THAT CNRS HAVE EXCLUSIVE PROPRIETARY RIGHTS TO RESULTING INVENTIONS FOR THE AREA OF THE NINE COMMON MARKET COUNTRIES AND THAT ERDA HAVE SIMILAR RIGHTS FOR THE U.S. AND CANADA. BENEFITS BEYOND THESE AREAS WILL BE SHARED ON A 50-50 BASIS.

3. EMBASSY EMBOFF HAD OFFERED TO INFORMALLY REVIEW PROPOSED CHANGES WITH CNRS PRIOR TO A FORMAL RESPONSE TO ERDA. CNRS CHOSE TO PRESENT THEIR COUNTER-
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PROPOSAL DIRECTLY TO ERDA. PLEASE ADVISE IF EMBASSY

SCIENCE OFFICE SHOULD EXPLORE WITH CNRS ANY OF THE
TROUBLESOME ISSUES IN THE DECEMBER 12, 1975 TEXT.
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